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12-10-02**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	Boothe	Atty Docket No.:	BOO001/135818
Serial No.:	9/989.555	Group No.:	3677
Date Filed:	November 20, 2001		
For:	Mini-Storage Door Latch	Examiner:	Carlos Lugo

Box Fee Amendment
 Assistant Commissioner of Patents
 Washington, DC 20231

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action Dated June 19, 2002, please amend this application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-8 without prejudice and add new claims 9 and 10 as follows:

Sub B1
 9. (New) An improved roll-up door and latching mechanism combination for a storage unit,

said roll-up door (10) arranged and designed to roll up and down in a vertical opening of a wall of said storage unit;

said latching mechanism including a latch plate (62) mounted on said roll-up door (10) and a latch (64) slidably mounted on said latch plate (62) and arranged and designed for horizontal movement between open and closed positions by moving a locking piece into and out of engagement with a slot of said wall of said storage unit, characterized in that

a hole is provided in said latch with a loop disposed through the hole, said loop being arranged and designed so that a disabled person can put a prosthetic arm, or hand, or finger or